

111TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. RES. 719

Commending Russ Meyer on his induction into the National Aviation Hall  
of Fame.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 31, 2009

Mr. TIAHRT submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the  
Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

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# RESOLUTION

Commending Russ Meyer on his induction into the National  
Aviation Hall of Fame.

Whereas the leadership of Russ Meyer, former chairman and  
chief executive officer of Cessna Aircraft Company and a  
leading proponent of general aviation, has had a dramatic  
impact on the continued growth of the aviation industry  
in Kansas and throughout the United States;

Whereas Russ Meyer was one of the principal architects of  
the General Aviation Revitalization Act of 1994 (Public  
Law 103–298; 108 Stat. 1552);

Whereas Russ Meyer was instrumental in the development of  
the “Be A Pilot Program”, which has resulted in tens of  
thousands of new pilots and contributed more than  
\$200,000,000 to the United States economy through gen-  
eral aviation operations;

Whereas Russ Meyer was the originator of the Citation Special Olympics Airlift, in which hundreds of owners of Citation aircraft transport athletes from around the country to the Special Olympics National Games; and

Whereas Russ Meyer will join fellow residents of Kansas Olive Beech and Walter Beech, Lloyd Stearman, Clyde Cessna, Amelia Earhart, and Joe Engle in the National Aviation Hall of Fame: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved*, That the House of Representatives—

2               (1) commends Russ Meyer for being inducted  
3       into the National Aviation Hall of Fame;

4               (2) recognizes the achievements of Russ Meyer  
5       during his lifetime of service to the aviation indus-  
6       try; and

7               (3) directs the Clerk of the House of Represent-  
8       atives to transmit a copy of this resolution to Russ  
9       Meyer.

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